2007 Census of Agriculture

Grapes

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According to the 2007 Census of Agriculture, there were almost 26,000 farms in the United States growing over one million acres of grapes. While most States had some grape production, the largest production is concentrated in a small number of States. California is by far the leading grape producing State, with almost 45% of the farms and over 80% of the acreage. The top 5 States had 63% of the farms and 96% of the acreage. Most of the grape acres in the United States (93%) are bearing acres.

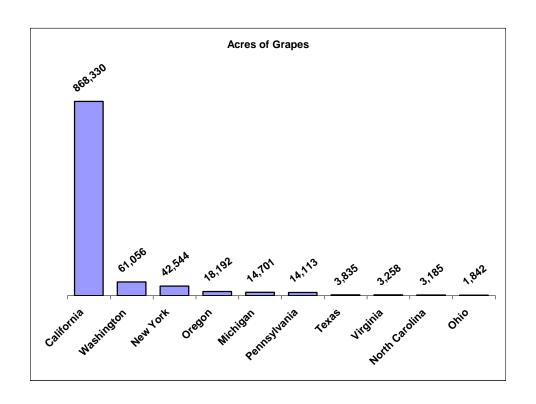
The top 20 States (in acreage) are shown in Table 1 below.

Table 1 – Grape Farms and Acreage in the Top 20 States

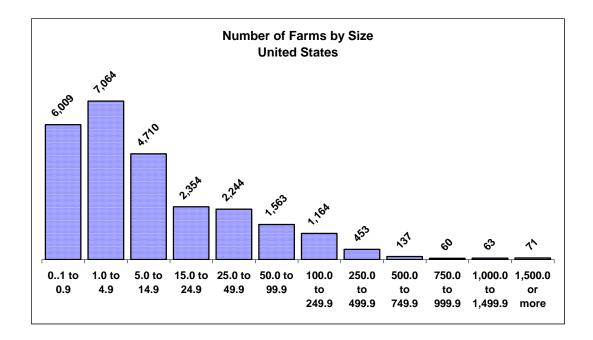
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|----------------|--------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------------|--------|--|
| | | | | | Nonbearing Age | | |
| | Total | | Bearing A | Age Acres | Acres | | |
| | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres | |
| _ | | | | | | | |
| United States | 25,892 | 1,051,407 | 22,947 | 973,638 | 8,509 | 77,769 | |
| Colifornia | 11 622 | 969 220 | 11 115 | 900 291 | 2 020 | 50.049 | |
| California | 11,623 | 868,330 | 11,115 | 809,281 | 3,020 | 59,048 | |
| Washington | 1,219 | 61,056 | 1,086 | 57,025 | 393 | 4,030 | |
| New York | 1,438 | 42,544 | 1,365 | 40,675 | 389 | 1,869 | |
| Oregon | 1,380 | 18,192 | 1,239 | 14,754 | 493 | 3,438 | |
| Michigan | 711 | 14,701 | 649 | 14,026 | 193 | 675 | |
| Pennsylvania | 812 | 14,113 | 664 | 13,570 | 263 | 543 | |
| Texas | 570 | 3,835 | 395 | 2,961 | 316 | 874 | |
| Virginia | 517 | 3,258 | 434 | 2,661 | 251 | 597 | |
| North Carolina | 660 | 3,185 | 555 | 2,100 | 255 | 1,085 | |
| Ohio | 422 | 1,842 | 362 | 1,554 | 133 | 288 | |
| Missouri | 393 | 1,773 | 305 | 1,342 | 167 | 430 | |
| Georgia | 427 | 1,646 | 380 | 1,226 | 132 | 420 | |
| Idaho | 174 | 1,490 | 139 | 1,193 | 58 | 297 | |
| Colorado | 248 | 1,167 | 193 | 805 | 109 | 362 | |
| New Mexico | 227 | 1,103 | 201 | 930 | 71 | 173 | |
| New Jersey | 192 | 1,043 | 170 | 878 | 62 | 165 | |
| Illinois | 316 | 979 | 258 | 754 | 136 | 225 | |
| Florida | 329 | 916 | 295 | 767 | 109 | 149 | |
| Iowa | 335 | 797 | 219 | 403 | 183 | 394 | |
| Arkansas | 149 | 747 | 117 | 680 | 52 | 67 | |

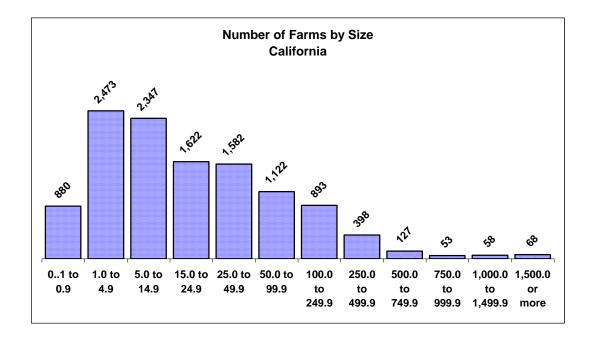
The 2007 Census of Agriculture showed an increase from the 2002 Census of Agriculture in the number of farms growing grapes. Nationwide, there were 2,036 more farms, but almost 9,000 fewer acres. Of the top 20 States, 16 had more farms in 2007 than in 2002 and 13 had more acres.

| | Change From 2002 | | | | | | |
|----------------|------------------|---------|-----------|--------|----------------|---------|--|
| | | | | | Nonbearing Age | | |
| | Total | | Bearing A | | Acres | | |
| | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres | |
| United States | 2,036 | -8,888 | 3,128 | 8,524 | -1,335 | -17,411 | |
| California | 495 | -22,566 | 991 | -9,456 | -1,065 | -13,111 | |
| Washington | 20 | -1,459 | 57 | 601 | -143 | -2,061 | |
| New York | 54 | 5,828 | 96 | 6,923 | -44 | -1,094 | |
| Oregon | 160 | 3,930 | 246 | 3,547 | -52 | 383 | |
| Michigan | 33 | 1,281 | 87 | 2,029 | -104 | -749 | |
| Pennsylvania | 44 | 1,548 | 81 | 1,686 | -45 | -137 | |
| Texas | -156 | -279 | -112 | -125 | -57 | -154 | |
| Virginia | -32 | -358 | 13 | -172 | -46 | -186 | |
| North Carolina | 214 | 1,763 | 245 | 1,175 | 30 | 588 | |
| Ohio | -139 | -163 | -90 | -203 | -52 | 39 | |
| Missouri | 65 | 320 | 59 | 296 | 21 | 23 | |
| Georgia | 40 | -38 | 72 | 184 | -20 | -222 | |
| Idaho | 43 | 560 | 47 | 463 | 0 | 97 | |
| Colorado | 79 | 439 | 67 | 323 | 16 | 117 | |
| New Mexico | -20 | 73 | 35 | 397 | -44 | -324 | |
| New Jersey | 10 | 492 | 39 | 492 | -24 | 0 | |
| Illinois | 45 | 90 | 81 | 210 | -19 | -120 | |
| Florida | 63 | 128 | 64 | 205 | 20 | -77 | |
| Iowa | 202 | 643 | 140 | 348 | 107 | 294 | |
| Arkansas | 26 | -392 | 21 | -335 | -3 | -57 | |



Most grape farms in the United States (69%) are less than 15 acres in size. A small percentage (7.5%) of grape farms are 500 acres or more in size. The distribution of grape farms by size in the leading grape State, California, is slightly different. A smaller percentage of California grape farms (49%) are less than 15 acres in size, and a larger percentage (13.7%) are 500 acres or more in size.





Most Counties in Florida have at least a few farms growing grapes. Jackson County has the most grape farms (21) but Lake County has the largest number of acres (179). In Florida, as in the United States, grape farms tend to be small. The average number of acres of grapes is 2.8 acres.

| | 2007 | | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|---|--|---|---|---|--|
| | Total | | Average Grape Area | Bearing Age Acres | | Nonbearing Age Acres | | |
| | Farms | Acres | Acres | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres | |
| Florida | 329 | 916 | 2.8 | 295 | 767 | 109 | 149 | |
| Lake Manatee Walton Leon Putnam Jefferson Jackson Gadsden Highlands Pasco Marion Washington Nassau Alachua Levy Hernando Escambia Polk Santa Rosa Bay Suwannee Holmes | 14 7 17 7 12 16 21 12 13 5 16 5 13 12 9 7 9 6 9 3 8 8 | 179 83 53 51 d 40 38 34 23 20 16 13 d 11 10 9 8 8 7 6 | 12.8 11.9 3.1 7.3 2.5 1.8 2.5 4.8 1.4 4.0 1.2 1.1 1.6 1.1 1.5 0.9 2.7 0.9 0.8 | 14 7 14 7 15 15 11 5 16 5 13 11 9 5 5 3 8 1 | d d 52 d 42 37 28 d 24 d 19 d d d d d d d d d d d d d d d d d | 1 2 6 4 4 4 5 8 9 2 5 2 4 1 1 5 1 1 7 1 - 7 | d d d d d d d d d d d d d d d d d d d | |
| Wakulla Baker Orange Bradford Okaloosa Seminole Sumter Columbia Duval Citrus Lafayette Palm Beach Others | 8 5 4 4 6 6 5 7 7 5 5 3 | 055 d 4222 ddddd | 0.6 0.6 1.0 0.3 0.3 0.4 | 8 3 4 4 6 3 5 4 7 5 5 5 | d d 5 4 1 d d d d d | 1 2 2 4 3 2 3 - 3 | d d d d - 1 z d d - 2 d d - 2 d d d - 3 d | |

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